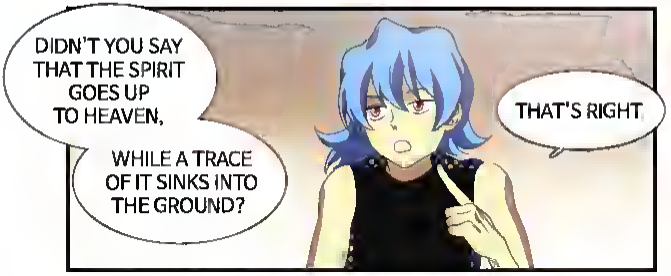
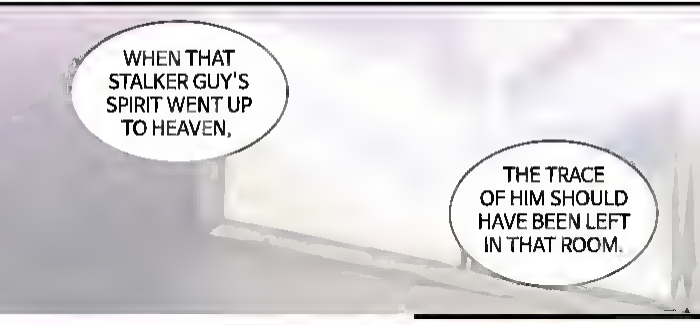
AFTER HEARING ABOUT YOUR PAST. THERE'S SOMETHING BOTHERING ME
SOMETHING BOTHERING YOU?
PEOPLE HAVE BEEN SAYING FOR AGES THAT SPIRITS COME AND GO THROUGH A PERSON'S EYES.
SPIRITS COME AND GO···?
YEAH
EYES SEE EVERYTHING. AND THEY RE ALSO THE PLACE WHERE THE CLEAREST ENERGY GATHERS.

EVERY TIME WE GUIDE SOMEONE TO THE AFTERLIFE, THERE HAS BEEN A BLUE GLOW IN YOUR EYES, RIGHT?
AH, YEAH.
BEFORE, I WONDERED WHAT IT MIGHT BE,
BUT I FIGURED OUT AFTER THAT STALKER GHOST DISAPPEARED.
REMEMBER I SAID BEFORE THAT WHEN A SPIRIT DISAPPEARS, IT LEAVES SOMETHING BEHIND WHERE IT WAS?

W-WHY ARE YOU GIVING US A SUDDEN QUIZ…?
HM……


DIDN'T YOU SAY THAT THE SPIRIT GOES UP TO HEAVEN,
WHILE A TRACE OF IT SINKS INTO THE GROUND?
THAT'S RIGHT


WHEN THAT STALKER GUY'S SPIRIT WENT UP TO HEAVEN,
THE TRACE OF HIM SHOULD HAVE BEEN LEFT IN THAT ROOM.

BUT THERE WAS NOTHING WHEN I DID SPIRIT PROJECTION

WHICH MEANS,

EVERY TIME WE SEND A SPIRIT TO HEAVEN
THE TRACE OF IT GOES INTO YOUR EYES

A TRACE -?

HUH? SO ARE YOU SAYING THAT GHOSTS ARE ENTERING SIMOON'S EYES?
GHOST-EATING EYES?!
NO, IT WOULD BE MORE PRECISE TO SAY THAT HIS EYES ABSORB AN AFTERIMAGE THAT THE SPIRIT LEAVES BEHIND.

AS I SAID BEFORE, THE TRACE SIMPLY GIVES THE SPIRIT THE FORCE TO MOVE.
YOU COULD CALL IT A TYPE OF ENERGY.

IS IT EVEN POSSIBLE FOR PEOPLE TO ABSORB SPIRITUAL TRACES LIKE THAT?
I'M NOT SURE…
BUT YOU'VE BEEN ABSORBING THEM.
SO, SIMOON'S EYES HAVE TURNED BLUE BECAUSE HE ABSORBED THOSE TRACE THINGS?
BUT MY EYES HAVE BEEN LIKE THIS FOR AGES.
I DIDN'T HAVE SUPERNATURAL POWERS THEN, AND I HAD NEVER SEEN A GHOST
THAT'S RIGHT. SIMOON WAS JUST A HARD-WORKING KOREAN COP.
THAT'S PROBABLY BECAUSE…
A TRACE ENTERED YOUR EYES WHEN YOU WERE LITTLE.

HUH?
ISN'T THAT AN EASIER WAY TO THINK ABOUT IT?
A TRACE ENTERED YOUR EYES.
AND IF THAT TURNED YOUR EYES BLUE

WHEN I WAS LITTLE…?
…I THOUGHT SO TOO.
WATER HAS STRONG YIN ENERGY, SO IT GATHERS A LOT OF PURE SPIRITS AND GHOSTS.

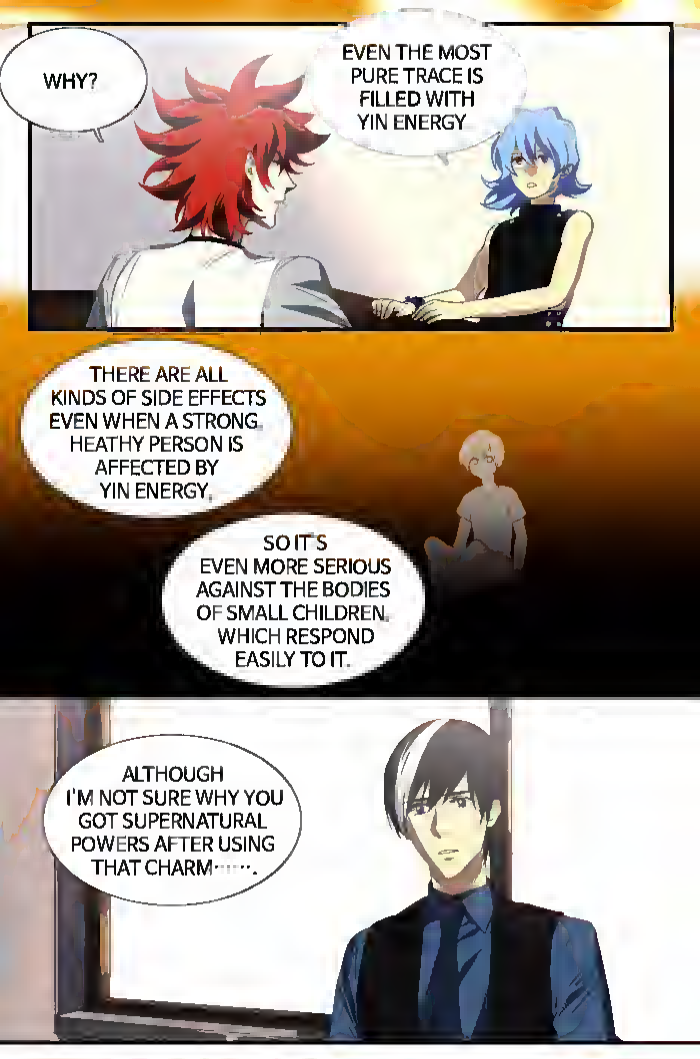
I WONDER IF THAT ACCIDENT YOU SAID HAPPENED WHEN YOU WERE LITTLE—
WAS SOME KIND OF SPIRITUAL ACCIDENT

DO YOU REMEMBER ANYTHING ABOUT THE ACCIDENT?

OR ANY MEMORIES OF SEEING GHOSTS AFTER THAT.

THROB

I'M NOT SURE…
I DON'T PARTICULARLY REMEMBER SEEING A GHOST.
…THIS IS JUST MY OWN OPINION,
BUT YOU SAID THAT YOU GOT YOUR POWERS AFTER YOU USED THE CHARM THAT YOUR GRANDMOTHER GAVE YOU, RIGHT?
YOU ALSO SAID THAT YOU GOT THAT CHARM WHEN YOU WERE LITTLE.
MAYBE SHE GAVE IT TO YOU BECAUSE A TRACE ENTERED YOUR EYES DURING THAT ACCIDENT.


WHY?
EVEN THE MOST PURE TRACE IS FILLED WITH YIN ENERGY
THERE ARE ALL KINDS OF SIDE EFFECTS EVEN WHEN A STRONG HEATHY PERSON IS AFFECTED BY YIN ENERGY.
SO IT'S EVEN MORE SERIOUS AGAINST THE BODIES OF SMALL CHILDREN, WHICH RESPOND EASILY TO IT.
ALTHOUGH I'M NOT SURE WHY YOU GOT SUPERNATURAL POWERS AFTER USING THAT CHARM·····.

MY GRANDMA……

YOU SAID SHE DIDN'T WANT YOU TO BE AN EXORCIST,
YEONGOK……
MAYBE IT WAS BECAUSE‥
‥SHE WANTED TO PROTECT HIM.

HEY~ SIMOON!
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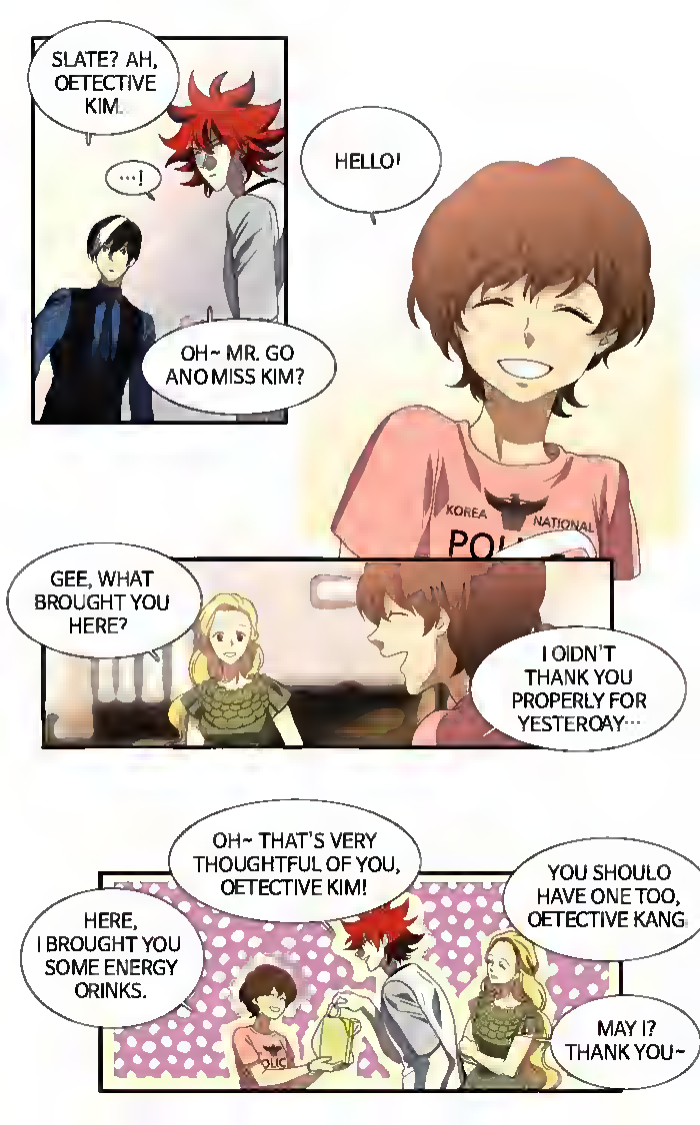
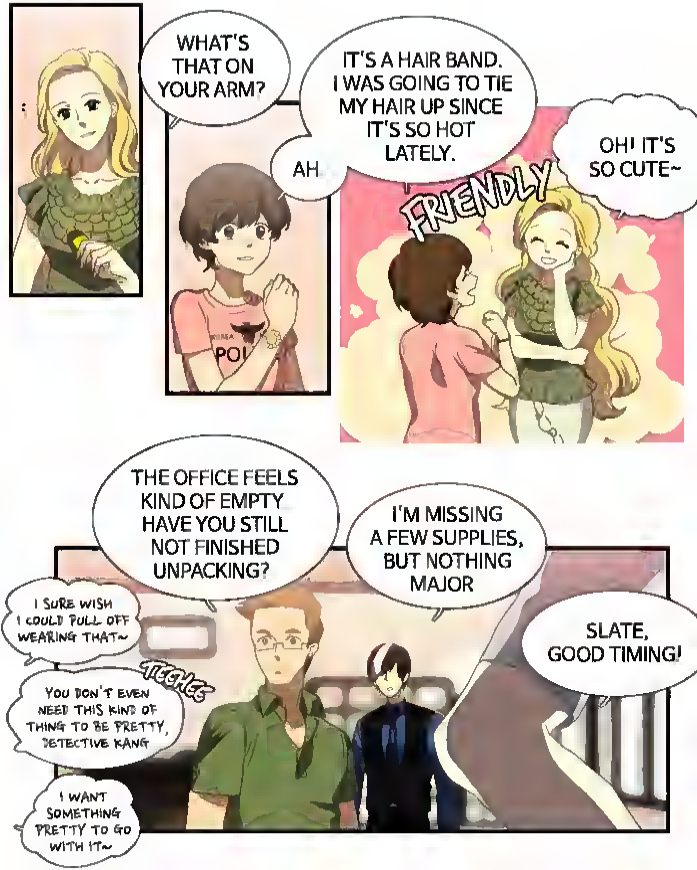

SLATE? AH, DETECTIVE KIM.
...!
OH~ MR. GO AND MISS KIM?
HELLO!
KOREA
NATIONAL
GEE, WHAT BROUGHT YOU HERE?
I DIDN'T THANK YOU PROPERLY FOR YESTERDAY...
OH~ THAT'S VERY THOUGHTFUL OF YOU, DETECTIVE KIM!
HERE, I BROUGHT YOU SOME ENERGY DRINKS.
YOU SHOULD HAVE ONE TOO, DETECTIVE KANG.
MAY I? THANK YOU~

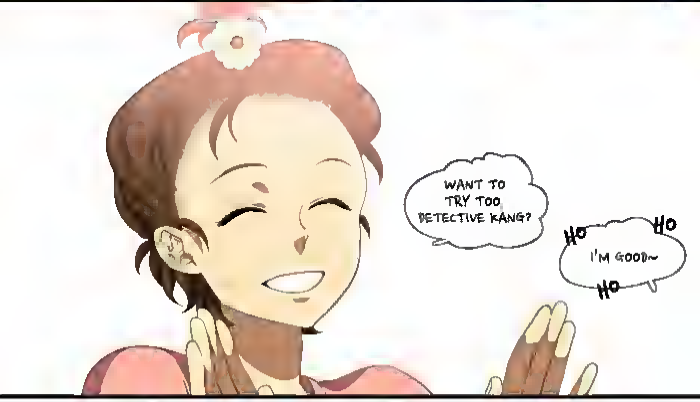

WHAT'S THAT ON YOUR ARM?
AH
IT'S A HAIR BAND. I WAS GOING TO TIE MY HAIR UP SINCE IT'S SO HOT LATELY.
OH! IT'S SO CUTE~
FRIENDLY
THE OFFICE FEELS KIND OF EMPTY HAVE YOU STILL NOT FINISHED UNPACKING?
I'M MISSING A FEW SUPPLIES, BUT NOTHING MAJOR
SLATE, GOOD TIMING!
I SURE WISH I COULD PULL OFF WEARING THAT~
TSK TSK
YOU DON'T EVEN NEED THIS KIND OF THING TO BE PRETTY, DETECTIVE KANG
I WANT SOMETHING PRETTY TO GO WITH IT~

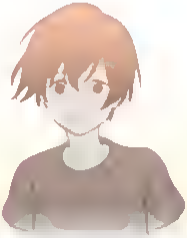
WE WERE JUST TALKING ABOUT SIMOON'S CHILDHOOD. DO YOU KNOW ANYTHING ABOUT WHEN HE FELL IN WATER?
FELL IN WATER?
AH, THAT ACCIDENT?
I'M NOT SURE, I ONLY MET HIM AFTER THAT HAPPENED.
WHAT ABOUT IT?
WE JUST WONDERED IF MAYBE YOU REMEMBERED SOMETHING
WHAT WOULD THERE BE TO REMEMBER? WHAT ARE YOU TALKING ABOUT?
ARE PEOPLE PICKING ON YOU HERE TOO FOR STANDING OUT?
NO, IT'S NOTHING LIKE THAT
AND I'VE NEVER BEEN PICKED ON
HOW ARE YOU GOING TO TIE YOUR HAIR UP WHEN IT'S SO SHORT?
IN A LITTLE PONYTAIL ON TOP
ON TOP?

FIDGET
FIDGET

AW, IT'S SO CUTE!

THOSE TWO REALLY SUIT EACH OTHER


WANT TO TRY TOO, DETECTIVE KANG?
HO HO
I'M GOOD~
HO



THEN TAKE THIS, DETECTIVE KANG... AS A GIFT!
OH... MAY I?
I HAVE LOTS AT HOME...
THANK YOU.
POLICE
WELL, I HAD BETTER GET GOING!
I'LL COME BACK AGAIN SOME OTHER TIME! SEE YOU LATER~
POLICE
SURE~ SEE YOU NEXT TIME~
BYE~
AH, HEY...

ONE SEC, DETECTIVE KIM···!

···UM,
LISTEN !!

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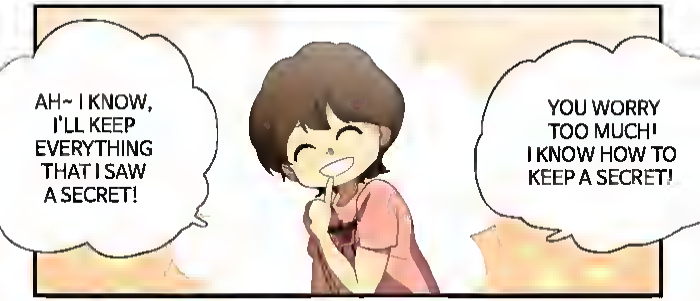
AH~ I KNOW, I'LL KEEP EVERYTHING THAT I SAW A SECRET!
YOU WORRY TOO MUCH! I KNOW HOW TO KEEP A SECRET!

SEE YOU LATER! BYE!

TAP
AH...

DETECTIVE KIM HAS SUCH A CHEERFUL PERSONALITY.
YEAH.
STRANGE···

IT FEELS LIKE A MEMORY IS COMING BACK TO ME SINCE BEFORE…
NOW~ LET'S GET BACK TO RESEARCH.
AGAIN?!!
RESEARCH?

DETECTIVE LEE, SO ARE YOU GOING TO MAKE A NEW LIST OF SUPPLIES?

AH, YEAH.

FOUR COMPUTERS?

YOU ALREADY HAVE A LAPTOP, LADY

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